



September 19, 2013

Steven Koski - Estimator  
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Subject: Conditional Approval - General WPDES Permit for Pit/Trench Dewatering

Dear Mr Koski:

The Department has reviewed the information you submitted requesting a Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (WPDES) permit. The project consists of dewatering located at Pine Road in Kronenwetter from Morningside to Paniolo Road with a discharge to the storm sewer that leads to Cedar Creek. This project is eligible for coverage under WPDES Permit No. WI-0049344-3.

**General Requirements for Pit/Trench Dewatering**

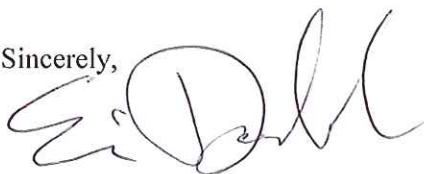
1. **Other Permits:** A high capacity dewatering well system approval must be obtained from the Bureau of Water Supply before initiating operation, if the total pump(s) capacity proposed for the system is greater than 70 gpm. Management of the project and control of the discharge must be done in compliance with the terms and conditions of this permit.
2. **Contaminated Groundwaters:** This permit does not authorize any discharges of treated or untreated contaminated groundwater.
3. **Sample point:** The discharge sample location shall be from the system outfall and prior to discharge to the storm sewer.
4. **Reporting:** Discharge Monitoring Reports summarizing the previous calendar year's activities, including a copy of the actual lab reports, are due January 15th but may be submitted anytime ahead of that date. Records required by this permit must be kept for the duration of the permit and made available for inspection by Department staff upon request.
5. **Notice of discharge:** Any exceedances of permit limits shall be reported to the Department within 24 hours.
6. **Effluent Limitations:** Applicable effluent limitations are contained in the permit.

Chapter 147.023, Wisconsin Statutes, authorizes the Department to issue a general permit for discharge from specified categories or classes of point sources if they are not a significant contributor of pollution. It is important that you read and understand the terms and conditions of the general permit because the general permit is enforceable. Also the general permit can be withdrawn if the point source is not in compliance with terms and conditions of the general permit.

To challenge the reasonableness or necessity of any term or condition of the attached general permit you may petition the Department to withdraw the general permit and you can submit an application for regulation by a specific permit. The process to issue a specific permit provides the applicant with a 30 day public notice comment period on a proposed permit condition and provide an opportunity for a public informational hearing and/or an adjudicatory hearing.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact me at [Eric.Donaldson@Wisconsin.gov](mailto:Eric.Donaldson@Wisconsin.gov) or 715-359-5866.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Eric Donaldson', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

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